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<b>1. Final amendment with transmittal letter</b>	
<b>2. Extension</b>	
<b>3. Notice of appeal</b>	
<b>for:</b>	
<b>Applicant: Ritter et al.</b>	
<b>Serial No.: 09/180,374</b>	
<b>Filed: April 12, 1999</b>	
<b>For: Liquid Fatty Component Containing Composition</b>	

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**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

In response to the office action mailed June 16, 2003, a three month extension of time for response to which is being requested, please consider the following remarks.